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on: BIDIRECTIONAL SHAVING CARTRIDGE	)	Group Art Unit: 3724
AND RAZOR INCLUDING SAME	)	Confirmation No. 7459
	)	
Serial No: 10/686,992	)	Our Docket No: 6579-0076-1
Filed: October 16, 2003	)	
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Hartford, Connecticut, October 12, 2004

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## PETITION TO REVIVE AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.37(b)

Dear S I R:

Applicants respectfully petition for revival of the above-identified patent application for the following reasons:

1. The application became abandoned on October 7, 2004 when Applicant inadvertently missed the response date to the outstanding Office Action dated April 7, 2004.

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- 2. The delay in responding to the Office Action dated April 7, 2004 was unintentional.
- 3. This petition is being filed within one year of the date of abandonment of the application.
- 4. Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$1370 to cover the fee for this petition. Please charge any deficiency in fee to Deposit Account No. 13-0235.

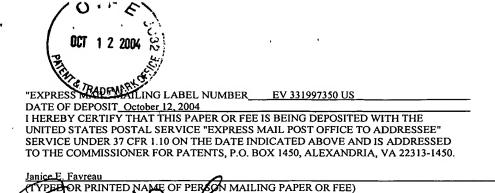
Favorable consideration is requested. The office is invited to contact Applicants' representative in the event that there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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## PETITION TO REVIVE AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

## Dear S I R:

Applicants hereby request that the above-identified application be revived because of unintentional abandonment on the part of the Applicants. Applicants attach a Petition requesting revival of the application along with the Petition fee of \$1370.

Enclosed on separate pages below are:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper
- Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper